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## Location / Natural Environment

The city with an area of 608.15km<sup>2</sup> has its landmass split from north to south by the Yeongsan-gang as one of Korea's four major rivers. Naju borders on Hwasun-gun to east, Hampyeong-gun and Muan-gun to west, Yeongam-gun to south, and Gwangju Metropolitan City to north. The Naju Plain benefits from the waterway as the Yeongsan-gang basin is stretched over it. The local mountains undulate between southeast and northwest. Since half of them run onto the hilly plains, the plains in Nampyeong, Geumcheon, and Dasi that are connected from north to south boast bountiful yields from the fertile land, and the interconnected level hills symbolize the granary in the Jeolla provinces.

Geumseongsan (451m) that stands as the guardian mountain of our city towers at its center and commands a sweeping view of not only the city but also the granary of the Naju Plain.

Located 26.7km southwest of Gwangju, Naju not only makes it to the suburbs of the Gwangju industrial zone, but also serves as the transportation hub as the gateway to the ten cities and counties such as Hampyeong, Muan, Mokpo, Yeongam, Gangjin, and Haenam. In ancient times, the town was called Sogyong ('little Seoul'), because Geumseongsan had the shape of Samgaksan in Seoul.

The town begot a number of patriots who contributed greatly to overcoming the nation's biggest hardships. As the birthplace of Kim Cheon-il, the leader of the patriotic militia during the Imjin War whose posthumous epithet was Changuisamunyeolgong and Sin Suk-ju, the eminent scholar from the Joseon dynasty, but also the epicenter of Gwangju Students' Independence Movement, the city has demonstrated that it is the cradle of talented people.

Location	End	Extreme Points on Longitude and Latitude		Distance
		Place Name	Extreme Point	
Sicheong-gil (Songwol-dong), Naju-si, Jeollanam-do	East End	Nodong-ri, Nampyeong-eup	North latitude: 35°04' East longitude: 126°54'	28km east to west 32km south to north
	West End	Angok-ri, Munpyeong-myeon	North latitude: 36°03' East longitude: 126°35'	
	South End	Jangdong-ri, Donggan-g-myeon	North latitude: 34°53' East longitude: 126°33'	
	North End	Yugok-ri, Noan-myeon	North latitude: 35°07' East longitude: 126°44'	

## Administrative Divisions

(as of Mar. 17, 2020)

Year	Area	Eup	Myeon	Dong		Ri		Tong	Ban	Natural Village
				Administrative	Legal	Administrative	Legal			

(<http://www.naju.go.kr>)

2020 Year	608.5 Area	1 Eup	12 Myeon	7 Dong	34	454 Ri	154	170 Tong	1,66 7 Ban	723 Natural Village
				Administrative	Legal	Administrative	Legal			

## Population

Administrative Agency	Population			No. of Households
	Total	Male	Female	
Total	114,516	57,667	56,849	56,322
Nampyeong-eup	12,246	6,158	6,088	5,929
Seji-myeon	2,777	1,385	1,392	1,588
Wanggok-myeon	3,047	1,578	1,469	1,684
Bannam-myeon	1,526	754	772	911
Gongsan-myeon	2,402	1,192	1,210	1,329
Donggang-myeon	2,584	1,278	1,306	1,460
Dasi-myeon	3,641	1,832	1,809	2,078
Munpyeong-myeon	2,007	978	1,029	1,236
Noan-myeon	4,785	2,472	2,313	2,637
Geumcheon-myeon	4,471	2,346	2,125	2,444
Sanpo-myeon	3,512	1,829	1,683	1,988
Dado-myeon	1,961	1,016	945	1,052
Bonghwang-myeon	4,385	2,267	2,118	2,505
Songwol-dong	7,845	3,902	3,943	3,668
Yeonggang-dong	2,829	1,405	1,424	1,433
Geumnam-dong	5,179	2,598	2,581	2,649
Seongbuk-dong	9,213	4,635	4,578	4,095
Yeongsan-dong	3,490	1,771	1,719	2,066
Ichang-dong	3,591	1,890	1,701	2,074
Bitgaram-dong	33,025	16,381	16,644	13,496



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